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JOINT STATE/DEFENSE MESSAGE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MARR, MO, US

SUBJECT: SITE SURVEY FOR GEODSSC

REFS: A. HQ AFSC 262115Z APR 77 B. HQ AFSC 261707Z
APR 77

1. SUGGEST EMBASSY CONTACT APPROPRIATE MOROCCAN OFFICIALS
AND REQUEST PERMISSION FOR VISIT OF GEODSS SITE SURVEY
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TEAM ALONG LINES PROPOSED IN REFTELS. TEAM ITINERARY
INCLUDED IN REFTEL A IS FLEXIBLE AND AMBASSADOR'S GUIDANCE
AND THAT OF GOM WOULD BE APPRECIATED. TEAM WOULD ALSO
APPRECIATE EMBASSY ADVICE REGARDING APPROPRIATE CONTACTS
WITH MOROCCAN OFFICIALS.

2. AT EACH SITE APPROVED FOR SURVEY BY GOM, TEAM WOULD

LIKE TO CONDUCT NIGHT OBSERVATIONS FOR ONE NIGHT DURING PERIOD 2000-0100 TO MEASURE NIGHT SKY BRIGHTNESS AND THE ATTENUATION OF LIGHT THROUGH THE ATMOSPHERE. IN ADDITION, TEAM NEEDS TO DETERMINE THE AVAILABILITY OF EXISTING FACILITIES AT EACH SITE, I.E., WATER, ELECTRICITY, BUILDING, ROADS, COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

3. THE TEAM WILL HAND CARRY THE NECESSARY TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT IN TWO LARGE SUITCASES (APPROXIMATELY 50 POUNDS

TOTAL), AND THE ONLY ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT REQUIRED (WHICH HOPE OBTAIN LOCALLY) IS A SMALL WOODEN TABLE, 30-36 INCHES SQUARE, UPON WHICH TO SET UP OBSERVATION DEVICES AND A 12 VOLT BATTERY.

4. TEAM WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING SERVICES OF AN INTERPRETER FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH MOROCCAN AUTHORITIES AS NECESSARY. IN ADDITION, WOULD APPRECIATE MUSLO ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING A VEHICLE FOR TRANSPORTATION BETWEEN SITES. PLAN IS TO USE AVAILABLE U.S. MILITARY ACCOMMODATIONS WHEN POSSIBLE, BUT FOR OTHER AREAS REQUEST EMBASSY OBTAIN HOTEL RESERVATIONS AS DETERMINED BY FINAL ITINERARY.

5. SUGGEST RESPONSE INCLUDE HQ AFSC AND INFO ADDRESSEES THIS MESSAGE.

6. DECLASSIFY UPON RECEIPT.

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